

RUSSIA IN NEED OF OF ALL IT GETS.

America Furnishing Twice as Much Relief as Any Other Country.

MINISTER SMITH RETURNS

And Talks Interestingly of Affairs in the Czar's Dominion.

The Russians grateful for the money and food received from Americans—The Czar Shows His Appreciation—Terrible Strife of the People in Famine Districts—Every Carload of Grain Sent Where It Will Do the Most Good—Closing Down on Emigration—Mr. Smith Getting Posted on Home Politics—He Really Thought Harrison Had a Walkover Till He Heard of the Platt-Quay Combination.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.)

NEW YORK, May 4.—Hon. Charles Emory Smith, United States Minister to Russia, was a passenger on the Teutonic, which arrived here this afternoon, shortly after 1 o'clock. A number of well-known Republicans were waiting on the wharf to receive him. Mr. Smith appeared in the best of health and spirit, and answered the greetings of his friends by assuring them that he never felt better in his life. When the greetings were over he and his wife were driven to the Fifth Avenue Hotel, where they will stay until to-morrow afternoon before proceeding to his home in Philadelphia.

Mr. Smith said to a DISPATCH reporter that he had not yet in his resignation, and he did not feel it would be courteous to make any direct statement on the matter, until he had conferred with the President. He indicated, in an unmistakable way, however, that he had come to America to remain. In case of his resignation, he said he would immediately resume his usual vocation as editor of the Philadelphia Press, and direct its policy in the coming Presidential contest.

All Russia Grateful to America.

"The war feeling that Russia has always had toward the United States was very much deepened and strengthened by what our people have done this year," continued Mr. Smith. "In contributing their assistance I understand there were some misgivings here as to how Russia would receive our contributions of grain and money for such minglings. The Russian people, from the Emperor down to the lowest serf, greeted the American aid and American sympathy with the greatest appreciation and enthusiasm. The whole country is profoundly grateful. In all my experience I never saw any relief received with greater honors than the Indiana, on her arrival at Libau from Philadelphia, bearing her cargo of grain. The cargo was loaded into 20 cars and started for Samara. Arriving there, the cars were decorated with American and Russian flags and were welcomed by the Governor of the Province. Then a grand religious procession was formed, headed by religious pictures and banners.

"I was telegraphed for as soon as the Indiana reached Libau, and, hurrying from St. Petersburg, I was met by nearly 3,000 Russians who, one by one, expressed their thanks for the generosity of the American people. All through Russia, as the contents of the cars were distributed, the transports were met on their way by the firing of guns.

America the Most Cheerful Giver.

"The American contributions amounted, up to the time I came away, to nearly \$80,000 in cash and the two cargoes of grain which had arrived on the Indiana and Missouri. I understand that another vessel, the Tynehead, left yesterday with more grain for Russia. I hoped I should be in time to see her off, especially as I had some advice I wanted to give, but I am too late. These contributions made by America amount to over twice as much as those of all the other countries of the world put together. England sent \$150,000 in cash, most of which was furnished by the English Quakers, but she sent nothing else. The contributions of other countries were very much less.

"The American contributions were all distributed directly under American supervision; every carload of grain, every dollar of money was sent exactly where the Americans determined it should go. The Russian Government was glad to co-operate and render every service in the distribution, and it showed in all instances the utmost confidence in the American organization.

Sensation at Niagara Falls.

The Son of a Well-Known Family Kicked by a Jot/keeper. NIAGARA FALLS, May 4.—[Special.]—A sensation has been caused here by Robert P. Murphy, the manager of the Hotel Porter, one of the new hotels here, kicking Clement Porter, a well-known society man and son of R. D. Porter, a wealthy citizen, one of the famous Porter family. The elder Porter owns the hotel, and his son, on a pretense of looking after his father's interests, had been in the hotel for some time. He was accustomed to visit heavily, and regarded made a disgraceful scene at the hotel, using vile and profane language. Murphy proceeded to fire the young man, and thereupon thought down on his head the ire of the entire family. He was arrested for assault, and a big trial, with a heavy array of witnesses, will be the result.

TWELVE VICTIMS OF THE FIRE.

The Remains of Three More People Found in the Philadelphia Ruins. PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—Two more of the injured at the Pennsylvania Hospital died to-night from the effects of their burns, making 12 victims of the fire beside the owner of a burned foot found this afternoon in the dump pile taken from the ruins of the Times Annex. The latest to succumb were Rand Patterson, 14 years old, and Charles Bell, aged 28, both of whom were taken to the hospital from the gallery of the Central Theater. It is now believed that the foot found today was part of the remains of one of the homeless wanderers who frequently sought refuge in the Pennsylvania Hospital. The owners had experienced much trouble from this source, and many traps had been arrested on the premises.

PLATT ONLY SMILES

At the Delegate Bulletin Issued by Harrison's Bureau.

HOW HE SIZES IT UP SO FAR.

New York Republicans Say Elkins Is at the Bottom of the Fake.

FIGURES THAT WON'T STAND ANALYSIS

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.)

NEW YORK, May 4.—Ex-Senator Thomas G. Platt and other influential Republicans of this State were interested and amused yesterday by the bulletin sent out from Washington announcing that already 302 delegates to the Minneapolis Convention had been instructed for Harrison, and that the President's renomination was assured on the first ballot. Accompanying the announcement was a table of States which, in the words of the pronouncement, "have, up to this time, instructed delegates to vote for the renomination of Harrison." The list of States, with the number of delegates so "instructed," making the total of 302, is as follows:

Alabama, 22; Arkansas, 16; California, 2; Florida, 8; Illinois, 6; Indiana, 2; Kansas, 3; Kentucky, 20; Maryland, 4; Michigan, 4; Mississippi, 11; Missouri, 34; Nebraska, 16; New York, 26; Ohio, 2; South Carolina, 10; South Dakota, 2; Tennessee, 2; Texas, 20; Virginia, 6; Wisconsin, 10.

"I think the prospects of Republican success have very much improved within the last three months, owing to the action or non-action of the majority in the House of Representatives, to the increased importance of the situation, and the change of President Harrison's administration, and to what looks to an observer from abroad very much like a serious factional difference among our friends, the enemy, in this State. I did not expect, however, that the New York delegates would be instructed for Harrison, and I do not regard the fact as a bad omen.

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PRITTS' STILL CAPTURED.

It is the Largest in the Moonshine Country—How General Siegel Miller Recaptured the News-Pritts' Brother-in-Law Arrested as an Accessory.

SOMESET, May 4.—[Special.]—At a late hour this afternoon Special Revenue Officer Schlosser and Chief of Police Gilbert drove into this place in a wagon with one of the largest illicit stills ever captured. The still was spotted by Gilbert three or four days ago while he was searching the mountains back of Trent for Murderer Pritts. It had been dismantled and was concealed in a clump of bushes about half a mile from Pritts' home. Officer Schlosser says the still is the largest he has ever seen, and he believes it to be the largest unregistered still ever captured in the United States.

"General Siegel" Miller laughed heartily when told that Pritts' still had been found. "I am glad to hear of it," he said. "I don't think it would ever have been found." Jacob Santemyer, a brother-in-law of Pritts, was arrested and brought here to-day. He is charged with being accessory after the fact to the murder of Jonathan Hochstetler. Santemyer admits that he took Pritts to his home at Mt. Pleasant the day following the murder, and that he aided in the disposal of the body. He was discharged, as the new New York Republicans, as it is conceded that a strong Democrat could easily defeat the President in his own State.

Out of the 302 only 84 "instructed" delegates must therefore be considered factors in determining the situation at Minneapolis. Pennsylvania is in the same boat with New York on the Harrison question, and in the faithful Buckeye State there is a sadly divided delegation.

A Table That Can Be Studied.

STATES.	Electors, 1892.	STATES.	Electors, 1892.
Alabama.....	11	Nebraska.....	8
Arkansas.....	10	Nevada.....	3
California.....	9	New Jersey.....	11
Colorado.....	4	New Mexico.....	3
Delaware.....	3	North Carolina.....	10
Florida.....	4	North Dakota.....	3
Georgia.....	12	Ohio.....	23
Idaho.....	3	Oregon.....	4
Illinois.....	13	Rhode Island.....	4
Indiana.....	15	South Carolina.....	7
Iowa.....	13	South Dakota.....	3
Kansas.....	7	Tennessee.....	12
Kentucky.....	13	Texas.....	12
Louisiana.....	10	Vermont.....	4
Maine.....	6	Virginia.....	11
Massachusetts.....	15	Washington.....	4
Michigan.....	14	West Virginia.....	4
Minnesota.....	13	Wisconsin.....	12
Mississippi.....	9	Wyoming.....	3
Missouri.....	11	Totals.....	561
Montana.....	3		

CLEVELAND INTERVIEWED.

He Thinks the Public Schools America's Best Institution. NEW YORK, May 4.—The World to-morrow will print the following interview with ex-President Cleveland, relative to a national public school celebration of Columbus Day, October 12:

"It is a grand idea. It is admirably conceived, and very timely. I've always been a friend of the public schools. I believe they are the greatest feature of American life. They can't be put forward too much, I think. The movement to make the school system of the municipalities the center of the national celebration of Discovery Day ought to be pushed pretty vigorously just now; there is not much time to lose."

He thought there might possibly be some difficulty in getting some of the municipalities to make the public school the dominant feature of the civic celebration of the day. "But they ought to," he added. "The public school is the greatest thing they've got, and to make a chain of local celebrations all connected by the schools is a noble plan. New York City, as the metropolis of the country, should take the lead in this, by making the schools a feature of the celebration here. The Board of Education should see to this. Get New York to adopt the plan, and you get the rest."

INGALLS ON TOP AGAIN.

The Fiercy Ex-Senator Once More the Biggest Man in Kansas—He Will Head the Delegation to Minneapolis—Another Important Document, but No Instructions.

HUTCHINSON, Kan., May 4.—The Republican State Convention to elect delegates at large to the Minneapolis Convention and to nominate a Congressman at large will be held here to-morrow. The issues this year seem to overshadow everything in politics, and national issues are almost lost sight of in the scramble for places on the State ticket. The Republicans expect to reverse the Alliance majority of two years ago, and are so confident of success that a nomination on the State ticket is regarded by them as almost the same thing as an election. There are, therefore, but a few candidates for delegates to the Minneapolis Convention or for the nomination for Congressman.

Four delegates at large will be selected,

A DOORWAY OF ROPE

Leads an Inquisitive Officer Into a Secret Printing Office.

BUSTY ANARCHISTS SURPRISED.

Liege Found to Be the Center of a Revolutionary Conspiracy.

MORE THAN FORTY HOUSES RAIDED

(BY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH.)

BRUSSELS, May 4.—The police at all the industrial centers in Belgium have not in the least relaxed their vigilance in a search for Anarchists. Detectives are at work among the miners and factory operatives, and to-day at Mons a man indiscreetly divulged to one of his friends, presumably a disguised detective, that he had himself shortly afterward in the hands of the police.

A SOFT CENSUS SNAP

Unearthed in Philadelphia—The Examiner Compiled His Work From His Imaginary Signatures During His Visit.

PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—Henry Horgan, 60 years old, a Census Examiner under Special Agent Thompson, who was some time ago removed from the control of the industrial census in this city, was arrested here to-day on a warrant issued at the instance of Frank R. Williams, Chief Agent of the Industrial Census. Agent Williams stated this morning that the charges against the man were of a very serious nature, consisting of fraud against the United States Government, forgery and perjury, growing out of a fraudulent performance of his duties as census taker.

In substance, the accused examiner's returns were the product of his own imagination, with the city directory as the basis of his operations. He prepared a sworn list of names, and had it examined and approved by the city directory, who had never been a carpenter or builder, and who declared that the signature was a forgery.

Another instance of this kind was similar to the above in many points. The occupation was given as that of a carpenter and builder, and the business was rated at \$800,000. When the Washington authorities went to the address named they met the widow of the alleged builder, who said that her husband had been dead over three years, and that in his lifetime he was a college professor, not a carpenter and builder. Huston was held in \$2,000 bail for a further hearing to-morrow.

A MAY SNOW STORM.

The Northwest Is Well Covered, and the Beautiful Is Still Falling.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 4.—Dispatches from various points in Minnesota, Wisconsin and the Dakotas, show that the ground is covered with white, and snow is still falling. In some places the snow is 2 1/2 inches deep on a level. The covering will help farming.

Reports just received from Winnipeg and the Northwest Territory indicate that last week's storm in Manitoba, in which two men were killed, was quite as severe in the Northwest. The McLeod mail, which started from that town Monday, has not yet been heard from, the driver not reaching the first stopping place, 50 miles from McLeod, and it is supposed he has been lost on the prairie. Dr. Lovinzhart, who left nearly two weeks ago for Klee Hill Creek, has not been heard of since, and it is thought he has been lost in the storm. A dispatch to-day says the police have gone in search of the missing men.

HUSBAND OF 121 WOMEN.

John Andersen, the Champion Marryist, on Trial at Last for Bigamy.

CLEVELAND, O., May 4.—[Special.]—The trial of John Andersen, the alleged Danish bigamist who has been claimed as husband by 121 women, began here to-day. The first witnesses to testify were from Elmira, N. Y., where Andersen is charged with marrying Mary Dora Dawes. She was present in the court room and the prisoner stared perceptibly when he beheld her.

The complainant against Andersen is Mrs. Ellen Purcell, of St. Louis, who was his first victim. He attempted to marry her here after returning here, but was arrested at Albany, N. Y. The testimony elicited to-day developed the fact of his marriage to Miss Dawes at Elmira.

WON'T REMOVE DR. BRIGGS.

Although the Pressure on Union Seminary Directors Is Increasing.

NEW YORK, May 4.—[Special.]—The majority of the directors of Union Theological Seminary are known to be in favor of annulling the agreement of 1870, by which the seminary gave the right to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of voting the appointment of professors chosen by the Board of Directors. It is understood that the directors are taking the General Assembly, which meets in Portland on May 19, to annul the agreement. None of the directors admit that such action has been taken. The majority, however, believe that the veto power granted to the General Assembly is not in accordance with the institution's charter, which places the control absolutely in the hands of the directors.

The directors have refused to remove Dr. Briggs from his chair of Biblical Theology, in spite of the General Assembly's vote of last May, and only two directors, William A. Booth and his son, the Rev. Dr. R. R. Booth, opposed this stand of the board when the vote was taken. If the Assembly refuses to annul the agreement it is expected that the seminary will then take matters into its own hands.

SENTENCED AND HANGED IN A DAY.

An Unusual Proceeding That Will Head Off a Troublesome Lawyer.

TRENTON, N. J., May 4.—Edward Hallinger, the negro wife murderer, of Jersey City, who has been sentenced to hang twice, but was saved each time through his lawyer, Charles J. Peschall, who asked for writs of habeas corpus, will, it is reported, be sentenced in the Hudson County Court to-morrow morning and hanged in the afternoon.

THE GRANITE WORKERS' STRIKE

Now Assuming Proportions That Are More Than Threatening.

BOSTON, May 4.—[Special.]—The strike of the granite workers in Quincy, New Bedford and other places doubtless precipitated the meeting of the New England Association of Granite Manufacturers, held at the Quincy Hotel to-day. There was a large attendance and millions of capital were represented. The main object of discussion was the trouble between themselves and their employees, growing out of the demand for an increase of wages and shorter hours, and the manifest determination of the men to have the matter adjusted at once.

It was after a long discussion voted that unless the granite owners would consent to defer the matter in dispute to January next, the work of the Granite Association settlement, the association would order a lockout in every yard in New England to take effect May

REVOLT IN ECONOMY

Threatened if Dr. Cyrus Teed Carries Out His Proposed Plans.

DUSS HAS DISAPPEARED.

He Makes a Sudden Departure on a Very Mysterious Mission.

ECONOMITES ARE AFRAID OF HIM.

Bill in Equity to Secure the Reinstatement of Flight.

A rebellion that will shake the Economite society to its very core, if not completely shatter it, will be declared if Dr. Cyrus Teed arrives with his contingent of angels, to feast on the fatted calves of the Economites, as it is reported he is likely to do.

Such is the ultimatum, expressed in vigorous language by the members of the society who are opposed to Dr. Teed, his creed and his angels, so-called, and these dissenters seem to be in anything but a minority at that. Teed may be all right in Chicago or any other out-of-the-way place, but he cannot be in Economy, as one very aggressive Economite expressed it, there are enough Lord High Executioners in Economy without calling upon one of the Lord's anointed to be Lord High Executioner of the Lord High Executioners, and Teed had best remain away.

Economy's serenity of expression was marred yesterday. Did it not sound acerbic, one might say the town was wrought up with excitement on account of the unwelcome report that Dr. Teed with a band of his California converts had mysteriously disappeared from Chicago and were en route to Economy where Dr. Teed's angels had been promised a home by the Board of Elders.

To make matters worse, or to give an air of veracity to the report, was the fact that Economy's uncrowned king, Mr. John H. Duss, had quietly left the village upon a morning train, and had told none of his destination or his mission. Consequently the throbbing heart of the village, the people, was exercised and perturbed.

After the train went down, and the people had left their daily tasks, the matter was discussed. The demure little waitresses at the excessively economical hotel slyly broached the subject and then, accompanied by a wanted client, a crowd of a score of men congregated in a whitewashed corner and talked of the treacherous things that should be done. The dissenters talked about it. The dissenters talked about it. The dissenters talked about it. The dissenters talked about it.

AMERICANIZED FRANCHISE

Demanding by the Episcopal Address at the Methodist Conference—Anti-Chinese Legislation Denounced—The Church on the Side of Labor—Sectarian Progress.

OMAHA, May 4.—Bishop Warren, of Denver, presided at this morning's session of the Methodist Episcopal conference. Two hours were given to the Episcopal address by Bishop Foster. The past quadrennium, the report stated, has been prosperous for the church. There have been no deaths among the Bishops. Fifty thousand dollars in new property has been added to the church. The report stated, however, that the church was not without its share of sorrow and grief. Work in the foreign field had been given special care. The report stated that the church was the largest in the world. There have been no discussions in the church, and there is more intelligence and less bigotry in the pulpit.

No man should be allowed in the chairs of theological schools, the report says, whose loyalty to Methodist doctrines is not steadfast. The church wants no traitors. The Epworth League received great praise as a mediator between the Sunday school and the church. The National University at Washington is announced as a certain and liberal endowment are asked for, millions being necessary for its equipment. The women's college in Baltimore was also commended.

The Bishop continued: "The church demands an Americanized franchise, as well as a naturalized franchise. The continuation of foreign languages and customs in our schools, and the fact that we are opposed to the teaching of foreign languages in our schools. We believe that the church should be prepared to serve a longer apprenticeship to secure it. We regard the legislation to Methodist doctrines as an inhuman, and recommend that petitions to Congress be prepared by this conference to nullify the measure. The realization of wealth, if it is not arrested, will be dangerous to the social and State functions. The church must be prepared to meet the wealth; it must go with the tolling masses. Total abstinence is imperative, and complete state prohibition is the only safe way.

The report declares that the union of the Church North and South is drifting closer, and is not an impossibility, and the North still holds out its hand of welcome.

Rebellion Against Duss Threatened. "But I can assure you of one thing," continued the physician, "and that is that the people will rebel against a return to Teed if Duss does succeed in bringing Teed into our midst. The people are even now in a state of the most intense dissatisfaction with the young upstart, and this move will arouse them. Duss will find his millenium. I presume the Teed faction will be installed in the handsome hotel Duss completed a short time ago and for which he gave out a weak excuse that it was built for the hands of the sawmill, a class of men, by the way, who have been accustomed nearly all their lives to a humble cottage or worse. As the I heard that Duss had concluded that Duss had had the first thing that came into his head. Duss is no fool and when he does a thing he has a motive in it. That has been shown and proven times without number, and that is one of the reasons that the people have become suspicious of him. The house he built is the handsomest edifice about the village and is more suited to frivolous summer tourists than to the needs of the northern coast of Newfoundland depicts a wretched condition of affairs there. Owing to the ravages of the grip last year, the miserable inhabitants were unable to gather their usual catch of fish. Just before navigation closed the Government sent the people of Flower Cove 60 barrels of flour.

For six months they have been cut off from the outside world by ice. Early in February the people watched with horror the consumption of the last handful of flour. Whole families had not a crust of bread. There is not a barrel of flour on the whole coast between Bonne Bay and St. Anthony. Some people have already perished from starvation, and at the date of last advices, March 20, a terrible condition of affairs existed.

STABBED IN 115 PLACES. Medical Testimony Increases the Horror of the Chicago Murder.

CHICAGO, May 4.—The coroner held an inquest in the Walsh murder to-day, and the jury recommended that Thomas Walsh, the murderer, be held to the grand jury. Dr. Ludwig Hekton testified that Mrs. Walsh died from shock and hemorrhage following 115 incised, lacerated and stab wounds, the fracture of 14 ribs, the tearing of the intestines in several places and of the diaphragm and the liver, the puncturing of two places of each lung and in one place of the heart. Any one of 20 of the 115 wounds would have proved fatal, he said.

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